### **DEATH MESSAGES** CROSS EACH OTHER,

One Is to Edwin Mallory in Texas Telling of His Mother's Passing.

### RELATIVES DOUBLY GRIEVED.

Second Message Comes From Texas Bringing News of the Death of Edwin Mallory on the Same Day.

New York, March 31.-When the aged widow of Charles Mallory died at South Norwalk, Conn., on Thursday, the first thought of the grief-stricken members of the family was to inform Edwin Malory, the favorite sen, in Texas. So a message was sent to tell him that his mother was dead. Scarcely an hour passed when a telegram from Corpus Christi, Tex., where Edwin Mallory had been living for years, was delivered at the old homestead in South Norwalk, When the telegraph messenger handed in the telegram, he remarked: "It's from Texas."

"I don't see how that can be-there has not been time enough to get an answer," remarked one of the family, in surprise.

When the mourning relatives saw that the message was addressed to "Mrs. Sallie Mallory"-the woman who had just diedthey were astonished. It seemed to them a strange freak of absentmindedness upon the part of the son in Texas.

Then the telegram was opened and read.

The contents cleared away the mystery, but changed the surprise and astonishment of the relatives into deeper grief. It was a message from Texas to the mother, just dead, to inform her of the death, in Corpus Christi, of her son, Edwin. He, too, had died on Thursday, and, aithough the par-ticulars are not yet known here, it is supposed that he must have breathed his last at the same hour his mother passed away. This supposition is based largely upon the strange fact that the telegrams must have

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Desiring to quickly inform the numerous friends of the family of the remarkable coincidence, the following death notices were inserted, one after the other, to-day.

"MALLORY—On Thursday, March 29, suddenly, at Corpus Christi, Texas, Edwin Mallory, son of the late Charles Mallory of South Norwalk, Conn."

"MALLORY—On Thursday, March 29, at South Norwalk, Conn., Salle, widow of Charles Mallory, in her ninety-seventh year, Funeral services at her late residence on Sunday at 2 o'clock."

This publication has brought forth many letters of sympathy to the numerous members of the family, who have been so unexpectedly called upon to bear the weight of a double sorriow.

It is believed that before the funeral at South Norwalk to-morrow, additional information regarding Edwin Mallory's death in Texas will be received. Members of the family living in New York did not even know he was iii. They only knew that he had met with good success in Corpus.

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It is mentioned by members of the family, as having some bearing on the simultaneous deaths, that the bond of affection between the mother and this son was especially strong. The mother regretted his going to Texas and always longed for his return. She wrote to him and was always anxious to hear from him. Even when two old and feeble to write for herself. Mrs. Mallory insisted that other members of the family should keep up the correspondence for her.

#### THE WEATHER. To-Day's Forecast.

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Washington, March II.—Forecast for Sunday and Monday:
For Illinois—Fair Sunday; warmer, except in northeast portion. Monday fair; variable winds.
For Arkansas—Fair and warmer Sunday. Monday fair; east to south winds.
For Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Fair and warmer Sunday. Monday fair; variable winds.
For Iowa—Fair Sunday; warmer in eastern portion. Monday fair; winds becoming southerty.
For Missouri—Fair and warmer Sunday. Monday fair; winds becoming southerty.
For Nebraska—Fair Sunday and Monday; southerly winds. For Kansas-Fair and warmer Sunday, Mon-day fair; southerly winds,

Barometer, inches 30,41
Thermometer, degrees 50,52
Dew point, degrees 50,24
Direction of wind NW 8
Velocity of wind 8 4
Weather at 6,59 a, m, clear; at 6,59 p, m, clear. Maximum temperature, 52, minimum temperature, 54. River 12.7 feet.

Local Forecast Official.

Government Report.

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Louisville NW	30.34	45	48 Fair
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St Louis	20,24	50	52 Clear
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Grand Junction NW	29.10	64	68 Fair
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indicates precipitation	m ina	2017	PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Enster Suits. Now is the time to order your spring suit and top coat. Our fabrics are the swellest of the season. Our styles are strictly cor-rect and prices moderate. Harian Bros., Tailors, Sixth and St. Charles streets.

### TEXAS SUPREME COURT.

Justice Finley Issued a Card on Returning.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Dallas, Tex., March 11.-To-day's proceedings In the Court of Civil Appeals, Fifth Supreme Judicial District of Texas, at Dal-

Affirmed Pioneer S. & L. Co. vs. Julius Bau-mann, et al., Dallas: Simmons & Gilliam vs., John L. Cleveland, Johnson; E. L. Doheny vs. R.

John L. Cleveland, Johnsen; E. L. Doheny vs. R. L. Weddington, Lamar.
Reversed and Remanded—John W. Springer vz. John P. Gillerpie, Izaliaz.
John P. Gillerpie, Izaliaz.
Motions Disposed Of.—A. J. Anderson Electric Company vs. Cleburne W. L. & L. Co., rehearing overruled, Tarrant, Sins et al. vs. T. W. Ford, receiver, rehearing overruled, Dallas Electric Company vs. City of Dallas et al., rehearing everruled; R. D. Thompson et al. vs. N. A. Kimbrough et al., rehearing overruled; Mary McClary et al. vs. W. J. Duckworth et al., rehearing overruled; City of Dallas vs. Martha D. Myers et al. issue mandate giantod.

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Chief Justice Finley, in retiring from the bench, read the following signed card: "To the Members of the Bar of the Fifth Judicial District: Involuntarily retiring from the position of Chief Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals of the district, I tender to the lawyers of the district my sincere thanks for their gracious treatment. Without solicitation, the Governor of the State placed me upon this bench in 1833, and the lawyers of the district have manifested their appreciation and their good will by causing my election without opposition as Associate Justice in 1894, and Chief Justice in 1898. The good opinion and manifest appreciation of my brethren has stimulated my judicial labors and furnished, too, a source of inexpressible gratification to me. This free offering of distinction by my brethren at the bar I shall always cherish with profoundest gratitude."

There's Nothing Too Good for Our Patrons

But quality does not necessarily imply expensiveness. An examination of the goods and prices quoted to-day will illustrate this.

Oriental Rugs.



Now on Exhibition on our Third Floor.

> In this popular dept. we are showing one of

the finest collections of Oriental Rugs and Hangings ever brought to the City of St. Louis. We have spent a great deal of time getting this collection, among which you will find some

rare specimens of autiques.

NOTICE-At the same time look over your own fine rugs; they may need repairing and cleaning. We have a native weaver in connection with this dept. We make a specialty of this class of work. We will call and give estimates.

A CARD.

Barr's have a thoroughly competent Oriental Rug Salesman, who will be pleased to explain this class of goods to all wanting information.

Grand Display of

Fine Ribbons for Easter.

Spring Novelty Ribbons, Polka Dots, Hemstitched

Stripes, Brocades, J., equards and Plaids, in all the

new styles and latest colorings, varying in price

A Corded Taffeta Ribbon in colors, 51/4 inches wide;

We have the largest stock of Black Ribbons in the

Big Value in Black Satin Back Velvet Ribbons.

Width No. 5-At..... 9c a yard.

Width No. 7-At......11c a yard.

Width No. 9-At......14c a yard.

Width No. 12-At...... 18c a yard.

Width No. 16-At......23c a yard.

Width No. 40-At......33c a yard.

vet, with white embroidered Silk Polka Dots-en-

tirely new, and especially for the combination lace

and ribbon waists that are so handsome and expen-

Ask particularly for our Black Satin Back Vel-

They Will Surely Interest You!

This Week at 25c Yard.

Don't Fail to See Them!

from 25c to 95c per yard.

Special at 25c Yard.

would be cheap at 39c;

sive if bought made up.

Embroideries.

This week's event at this

department will be a special

opening of novelties in new

27-inch mull skirtings, with

border of lace and lace insert-

ings for children's dresses,

with narrow trimmings to

22-inch wide Gulpure All-Over Embroidery, \$1.35 and \$1.50 value, 98c

22-inch wide Gulpure All-Over Embroidery, \$2.25 and \$2.50 value, \$1.48 for, per yard...

18-Inch wide Novelty All-Over Gulpure Net, for shirt wrists; worth from 58c to 73c yard, Monday, 43c

3 to 5 inch Guipure Band Insertings (for

P. K. e); worth 20c to 40c yard, 18c

412-inch Nainsook Margin Embroidery, 20c and 25c goods, for, 12c

Special for Next Week.

Taffeta Seam Binding, 10c a piece.

25c to 95c Yard.

## Millinery.

We expect this to be the banner week of our history as a department of Barr's. We have never been so fortunate in securing artistic millinery or able to make such low prices on it, and this is the universal opinion of every woman who sees our beautiful millinery.

250 New French Models just in.

125 dozen New Hats for Children.

225 dozen Mexican Hats, all new and cheap; fine for school wear. A complete line of Walking Hats, all new.

83 styles of Turbans and Toques, made of chiffon and fine straw

Come Monday. We will have a splendid display of strictly first-class Millinery—A special effort will be made.



## Corsets.

We invite our customers to come in and see the latest Paris models in Fasso, Isolda, Vera and Redfern, all our own styles, and cannot be procured anywhere else, prices \$2.50 to \$25.00.

\$1.00-J. B. Satteen Empire Corset, perfect shape, in white, drab and black, worth \$1.75. \$1.50 -Kosmo Corset-This Corset comes particularly for stout figures; will not break on nips;

worth \$2.25. Corsets and Abdominal Supporters made to order and

Headquarters for Flexibone Moulded Corsets.

Our Usual Sale of

### **Dust-Soiled Undermuslins**

Begins Monday morning, when every garment that has been in our window displays, got soiled or mussed by handling, will be placed on central tables in our Muslin Underwear dept. and sold at less than the cost of the muslin. There's nothing the matter with them that the laundering won't

medy.	
Ciowns.	
dies' Gowns, slightly seiled, trimmed n embroidery; were \$1.00 and \$5c	Ladies trim ery;
dles' Gowns, in combric and muslin, mbroidery or lace trimmed, 98c save been \$1.35, price now	Ladies hand all s \$1.48,
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ordinery or lace trimmed, several different styles, all slightly soiled; have been \$1.48 and \$1.75. C1 10 Ladies' Cowns, cambric and muslin, all handsomely trimmed in lace and embrodery, have been \$1.75 to \$1.48

White Petticoats.

Petticoats, umbrella shape, isomely trimmed with embroidery, lightly solled; regular value 98c price Monday..... adies' Petticoats umbrella shape, deep flounces of en.broidery and lace, all slightly soiled; have been \$1.48

Ladies' Perticonts, umbrella shape, all handsomely trimmed in embroidery and lace, all slightly soiled, re-\$1.98 duced from \$1.50, \$100, \$2.85 to. \$1.98

An odd lot of Ladies' Drawers, all slightly soiled, trimmed in embroidery and lace, will be put on sale Monday at 1/3 of the original value.

At 15 Cents Each.

At 19 Cents Each.

At 10 Cents Each.

Barr's" at this price.

Handkerchiefs.

Special Sale This Week.

650 dozen Ladies' Fine Hemstitched and Elaborately

Embroidered Handkerchie s, never sold for les

300 dozen Ladies' Hand-embroidered (unlaundered)

Men's Pure Liner. Initials, can be had "only at

All-Linen Seconds.

500 dozen Ladies' Scalloped and Embroidered Pure

39c and 50c goods for ..... 25c each.

75c goods for......39c each.

85c and \$1.00 goods for ...... 50c each.

\$1.25 and \$1.50 goods for......65c each.

Sheer Linen Handkerchiefs; these cannot be dupli-

cated in St. Louis at, each.....19e

than 25c; on Monday, Special Sale Price, each, 15c

## Young Men's and Boys' Fine Clothing.

It is the BIG VALUE, even more than the superior assortment, which is attracting so much good clothing trade to Barr's. More than three times the stock of last year and much better, more choice and



Young Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats Ages 13 to 20-20 SUITS - Carefully made by expert mon tailors, with broad military shoulders, hand-padded collar and lapels — single or double breasted vest, medium or Extra choice selected patterns in plain and fancy Worsteds,

Vicunas, Velour, Cassimeres and Scotches..... SUITS-Oxford and Cambridge gray vicuna, stripe and check worstedssmooth, leathery cassimeres, nobby Scotches and fine serges, in choicest Spring colorings ...... OVERCOATS - Whipcords and Coverts in the popular shades and shapes-Cambridge and Oxford Vicunas

LONG TROUSERS-28 to 34 length, 28 to 36 1 A complete and very choice assortment of finely \$1.98 to \$5.00 tailored trousers, in cassimeres, worsteds & tweeds

Boys' Suits and Overcoats Ages 3 to 16. SAILOR SUITS-

Ages 3 to 12. Reds, blues and browns. each in different shades and qualities of serges-Pancy Vests in great coverts, whipcords, cassimeres, cheviots and \$1.00 to \$3.00 tweeds in diagonals,

checks and mixturesmany with overcollars and shields of silk or pique..... \$2.98 to \$10 NORFOLK SUITS-Ages 3 to 10. Choice Ve ours and Tweeds, cheess and \$3.98 to \$8 mixtures, shapely, becoming & popular \$3.98 to \$8

MIDDY and VESTEE SUI S -Ages 3 to 10. Finely tailore i, perfect fixing one [How few fit well] choicest colorings—vest to match suit \$2.98 to \$10 SINGLE and DOUBLE BREASTED SUITS Ages 6 to 16 -As, to see our Barr's Special, the best suit for appearance and durability ever offered for the price -30 styles to choose from-equal to most \$7 or a8 sults.

Linens.

Sale of Household Linens and Decorative Art Linens.

low cases, towels, toweling, reception and luncheon cloths,

tea cloths, dresser scarfs and embroidered center pieces,

Hosiery.

Owing to the scarcity of materials and the time consumed in making many of our exclusive designs in fancy hosiery, foreign manufacturers were unable to supply us until very reently with the bulk of our orders. We are now, however, in a position to announce the arrival of every conceivable figure, stripe or combination in cotton thread and silk, including new patterns in openwork, of which we earn-

all at very low prices for good goods.

400 Table Cloths, new patterns, snow-balls, sweet peas and hyacinth de-

2x2 yards..... \$ 6.00 and \$ 7.50

2x3% yards..... 7.50 and \$ 9.00

2x3 yards ......\$10.90 and \$11.50 Napkins to match, per doz. \$9.50 and \$10.50

200 pairs benestitched linen 22x36 \$1.50 Pillew Cases, per pair......

100 pairs hemstitched linen \$5.00 Sheets, 90x96 in., per pair.....\$5.00

300 dozen Hemmed Huck Towels, \$3.00

On Monday the Wm. Barr D. G. Co. will begin a Spring

This includes linen tablecloths, napkins, sheets, pil-



Spring Top Coats. Every up-to-date boy has one - ours are very choice and finely tailored-many \$7 and \$ coats, where small sizes

are sold, reduced to \$5.00-\$3.98 to \$10 MONTAGUE" HATS-Pre-eminently the leading maker of fine hats for Youths, Boys and Children, correct

shades and shapes many exclusive novelties... 75c to \$2.50 BOYS' WAISTS and BLOUSES - Ages 3 to 14. "The Star," Mother's Friend" and "K.E." makes, each in complete as outment—the most price-worthy line we have ever shown

BOYS' BLOUSES-Ages 2 to 8. About 2 dozen is all, the merging of several of our finest small lots—some solled from handling—all choice styles—were \$250, \$4,\$8350 \$1.25

Light-Weight Hosiery

superior.

and Woven Underwear.

For ladies' and children's

knit underwear at prices

simi'ar to those quoted in

previous advertisements, but

representing qualities far

Ladles' ecru and white straight ribbed Vests, low neck and sleeveless and short sleeves, slik taped, 12 1/2 c

Ladies' cluster ribbed Vests, low neck and sleeveless, slik-taped neck and arms, white and eeru; 17c

Special for Monday-Ladies' genuine French Baibriggan Drawers, knee-length, sizes 28 to 36; 3 for \$1.00, 35c or, per pair.

Children's Ribbed Cotton Vests, high neck and long sleeves, crocheted edge and slik taped, in white and ecru; sizes 18, 29, 22, 24, 26, 28, 36 and 32, prices, 9c, 11c, 13c, 15c, 17c, 19c, 21c and 23c.

Knee-length Pantalets to match, sizes 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28 and 30; prices, 11c, 13c, 15c, 17c, 19c, 21c and 23c.

## Art Goods.

Linen (Manufacturers' Seconds).

For Easter gifts, simple or elegant, there is no better place to come than to Barr's art goods section. Among the many new, novel and beautiful things we have selected these few for price quotation.

The "Ballet Girl" Sofa Pillow, in different colors; price, each ..... The new stamped and tinted Table Covers, in different The Stripe Laundry Bag, in the different college colors: price, each

## Shoes....

Barr's Mannish Shoes for Women. The sort you'll need for mountain and seashore wear.

Ladies' Tan Russian Calf Lace Shoes, Goodyear welt soles, bulldog toes, regular \$4.00 value; Barr's Price.....

\$2.75

All sizes and widths, lace only.

## Small Wares At Little

Here's an array of little things at temptingly low prices, considering quality, which is, as

Hump Hooks and Eyes, black or white, all sizes (2 dozen on card); 3c Nickeled Safety Pins, all sizes; Skirt Bindings; per yard ..... Horn Bones, all lengths, good qual- 5c colors; per 3-yard piece ... Silk waist Beitlags, all colors;

always, the best.	
Good quality black velveteen Skirt Facing: per yard	4c
Good quality Lisle Elastic, all widths; per yard	20
All linen Corset Laces, black or white, Phy yards long, per dozen	10c
Fine quality Steel Scissors, all lengths; per pair	25c
White Pearl Buttons, fine quality two hole; per card of 2 dozen	10c
Pin Cubes, filled with good quality	-
Featherstitch Braids, white and c all new patterns; per 6-yard piece	alass
	Good quality black velveteen Skirt Facing; per yard. Good quality Lisle Elastic, all widths; per yard. All linen Corset Laces, black or white, 2½ yards long, per dozen. Fine quality Steel Scissors, all lengths; per pair. White Pearl Buttons, fine quality two hole; per card of 2 dozen. Pin Cubes, filled with good quality jet head pins; each. Featherstitch Braids white and a

## General House-Clearing Sale and Wonderful Bargains in Spring and Summer Goods, BASEMENT MONDAY.

Steel enameled 2-quart Tea Pot, for Monday only
Fancy Japanned Water Filter, 2-gallon size; for Monday only99
Emery's Granite Water Filter, 99
12-tooth mallcable iron Garden 2:
3-piece Floral Set, for Monday only
Children's 2-piece Garden Set, hoe, 10 rake and shevel; for Monday only, 10
20-inch wood frame Challenge Of Clothes Wringer, for Monday only, Of
2-quart, heavy-pieced Tin Sauce- pan, for Monday only
Rattan Furniture Beater, for Monday only
Polished hardwood Potato Masher, for Monday only

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Pull-size Scrub Brush, for Monday only	
All-bristle Counter Brush, for Monday only, each	
Sweeping Brush, 12-inch block, all bristle; for Monday only, each	,75c
7-Inch Handy Whitewash Brush. for Monday only, each	15c
2½-inch Wall Paint Brush, for Monday only, each	.12c
Extension Handle Feather Duster, for Monday only, each	e-
Extra chisel flat Varnish Brush, for Monday only	
Barr's Standard House Paint, quart size, for Monday only	
Barr's Standard Floor Paint, for Menday only	16c
Barr's Floor Gloss, large size can, for Monday only	

Large-size House-cleaning S for Monday only	*********
5-foot Hardwood Stepladder Monday only	for 29c
Large-size Chamels, for Monday only	250
Mrs. Potts's Nickel-Plated Ir for Monday only, set	ens, 89c
Bissell's Carpet Sweeper, cyco bearing	\$1.89
Barr's Champion 2-burner G line Stove, for Monday or	
Planished Iron Steel Top Ga line Oven, for Monday onl	so- \$1.49
Bell's Star Cleaner, for Mononly, two cakes for	day 70
Barr's Household Ammonia, size, for Monday only, per	quart 30
Bell Star Metal Polish, for day only, per can	

500 dozen Napkins--Breakfast size, \$1.25 to \$2.25 per dozen. Dinner size, \$2.50 to \$4.50 per dozen.

1 case 2-yard Cream Damask, very 90c heavy Double Damask, per yard.

Barr's Banner Towels, \$3.48 per 29c

200 18x54 Dresser Scarfs,

200 20x20 Center Pieces,

# Water Filters. Our Store. stores ask aimost double our

All kinds, at the very lowest priceslet us show them to you Monday. Baby Buggies and Go Carts. The New Styles.-Shown Only in Baby Euggles and Go Carts are here

in many designs and at many prices. Seldom you see such a grand assortment as we show. Then the low prices will surprise you. Furniture and other THE HEYWOOD & WAKEFIELD styles and makes are all here, you know -they are the best. For Monday we will make the prices the very lowest ever named. A special for Monday will be our \$2.95 GO CART. We KNOW IT'S WORTH \$5.00.

### The Good Refrigerators The BELDINGS NATIONAL is ours

for St. Louis. For years we have sold this truly high-grade Refrigerator without one complaint. If you will ex-amine the National you will find it is a perfect food preserver. It looks like a piece of fine furniture.

THE ZERO, made by HEINZ & MUNS-HAUER, is ours, also. It is simple and most easily handled. It has the only patented ventilator; it prevents the absorption of oder of one article of food from another kind of food; has also points in its construction well worth noting.
The ALASKA, a well-known Refrig-

erator, is also here. We will guarantee to sell the ALASKA at a lower price than any other house in St. Louis. Don't buy Refrigerators until you have examined our line.

#### Majestic Gas Ranges and Gasoline Stoves.

Competent salesmen in charge of these goods to explain them to you. Majestic Gas Ranges are sold by us at factory prices. No house can give you a better

### Water Coolers.

Monday we will cut and slash prices right and left.

### Garden Hose.

We have thousands of feet of the very best Garden Hose. You will find our prices at least one-third the usual price asked elsewhere.

Band—Whole block—sixth, olive to locust.—Band